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Richard G. Stearns
District Judge

Date of Birth: 1944
 Education: Stanford 1968 BA; Oxford (UK) 1971 MA; Harvard 1976 JD
 Began Service: January 5, 1994
 Appointed By: President William J. Clinton
 Political Affiliation: Democrat

Academic: Instructor, Harvard Law School (1984-1987)

Government: Special Assistant (D-SD), Office of Senator George McGovern, United States Senate (1972-1973); Assistant District Attorney, Office of the District Attorney, Commonwealth of Massachusetts (1977-1979); Campaign Advisor, Ted Kennedy for President (1979-1980); Assistant District Attorney, Office of the District Attorney, Commonwealth of Massachusetts (1980-1982); Assistant U.S. Attorney, Massachusetts District, Executive Office for United States Attorneys, United States Department of Justice (1982-1990)

Judicial: Associate Justice, Massachusetts Superior Court (1990-1994)

Nonprofit: Deputy Campaign Manager, George McGovern for President (1970-1972)

Current Memberships: American Bar Association

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Patti B. Saris
District Judge

Date of Birth: 1951
 Education: Radcliffe 1973 BA; Harvard 1976 JD
 Began Service: 1994
 Appointed By: President William J. Clinton



Clerkships: Law Clerk The Honorable Robert Braucher, Massachusetts Supreme Judicial Court (1976-1977)

Government: Staff Counsel, Committee on the Judiciary, United States Senate (1979-1981); Assistant U.S. Attorney, Massachusetts District, Executive Office for United States Attorneys, United States Department of Justice (1984-1986)

Chambers of District Judge Patti B. Saris *continued*

Judicial: Magistrate Judge, United States District Court for the District of Massachusetts (1986-1989); Associate Justice, Massachusetts Superior Court (1989-1993)

Legal Practice: Attorney, Foley, Hoag & Eliot LLP (1977-1979); Berman, Dittmar & Engel (1981-1982)

Staff

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Nancy Gertner
District Judge

Note: District Judge Nancy Gertner will retire from the United States District Court for the District of Massachusetts effective September 1, 2011.
 Education: Columbia 1967 BA; Yale 1970 MA, 1971 JD
 Began Service: April 25, 1994
 Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

Affiliation: Instructor, Law School, Yale University

Academic: Instructor, Boston University (1972-1976); Instructor, Boston University (1987-1990); Instructor, Boston University (1994-1995); Instructor, Boston College (1994-1998); Instructor, School of Law, Northeastern University (2001)

Clerkships: Law Clerk The Honorable Luther M. Swygert, United States Court of Appeals for the Seventh Circuit (1971-1972)

Legal Practice: Associate/Partner, Zalkind & Silvergate (1972-1973); Partner, Silvergate, Shapiro & Gertner (1973-1989); Private Practice (1989-1990); Partner, Dwyer, Collora and Gertner (1990-1994)

Current Memberships: Central European and Eurasian Law Initiative, American Bar Association; American College of Trial Lawyers; The American Law Institute; Massachusetts Bar Association, Inc.

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F. Dennis Saylor IV
District Judge

Date of Birth: July 3, 1955
 Education: Northwestern 1977 BSJ; Harvard 1981 JD
 Began Service: June 15, 2004
 Appointed By: President George W. Bush

Government: Assistant U.S. Attorney, District of Massachusetts, United States Attorney's Office, United States Department of Justice (1987-1990); Special Counsel/Chief of Staff to the Assistant Attorney General, Criminal Division, United States Department of Justice (1990-1993)

Legal Practice: Associate, Goodwin Procter, L.L.P. (1981-1987); Partner, Goodwin Procter, L.L.P. (1993-2004)

Current Memberships: American Bar Association; Boston Bar Association; Worcester County Bar Association

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Denise J. Casper
District Judge

Education: Wesleyan U 1990 BA; Harvard 1994 JD
 Began Service: January 17, 2011
 Appointed By: President Barack Obama

Government: Assistant U.S. Attorney, Organized Crime Drug Enforcement Task Force Unit, Massachusetts District, United States Department of Justice (1999-2005); Deputy Chief, Organized Crime Drug Enforcement Task Force Unit, Massachusetts District, United States Department of Justice (2004-2005); Assistant U.S. Attorney, Organized Crime Drug Enforcement Task Force Unit, Department of Justice

Legal Practice: Civil Litigator, Bingham McCutchen LLP (1995-1998)

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Michael A. Ponsor
District Judge

Date of Birth: 1946
 Education: Harvard 1969 AB; Oxford (UK) 1971 BA; Yale 1974 JD
 Began Service: 1994
 Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

Academic: Adjunct Professor, Law School, Yale University (1989-1991)

Clerkships: Law Clerk The Honorable Joseph L. Tauro, United States District Court for the District of Massachusetts (1975-1976)

Corporate: Reporter, Minneapolis Tribune (1969); Reporter, Minneapolis Tribune (1971)

Judicial: Magistrate Judge, United States District Court (1984-1994)

Legal Practice: Associate, Homans, Hamilton & Dahmen (1976-1978); Partner, Brown, Hart & Ponsor (1978-1983)

Nonprofit: Teacher, Kenya Institute of Administration (1967-1968)

Current Memberships: Boston Bar Association; Hampshire County Bar Association; Massachusetts Bar Association, Inc.

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George A. O'Toole, Jr.
District Judge

Date of Birth: 1947
 Education: Boston Col 1969 AB; Harvard 1972 JD
 Began Service: July 10, 1995
 Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

Judicial: Associate Justice, Boston Municipal Court (1982-1990); Associate Justice, Superior Court of Massachusetts (1990-1995)

Legal Practice: Associate, Hale and Dorr LLP (1972-1977); Junior Partner, Hale and Dorr LLP (1978-1982)

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